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John Paris, Former U. S. Sailor, Wounds Florence Bradley, of Herwood

MAY HAVE STARTED FIRE TO LURE HER TO STREET

Admirer Makes Blaze at Maple Shade Excuse for Rousing Young Woman

ATTACKS HER IN ORCHARD

Overturned Kerosene Drum, Found Among Ruins, Supports Theory of Incendiarism

As she ran through a peach orchard a burning bungalow near her own me at Herwood, near Maple Shade. M. J., at 2 o'clock this morning, Floresce Bradley, seventeen years old, was that below the heart by John Paris, her twenty-year-old suitor, who then

The girl is said to be dying in the Cooper Hospital, Camden. Paris, who had been out of the navy four months and who also lived at Herwood. aroused the girl by pounding on the door of the hens of Mrs. Elmer R. Tomlins, with Florence was staying for the

dramatic setting for the crime.

Finds Garage Ablaze proving a son of bloomers that the rear shed and a garage were aflame. The fire had reached the rear of the bunga-

McCarthy aroused his mother and his sether and sister, Larry and Marga-est McCarthy. They shouted for help, sir cries arousing nearly every one in dressed farmers were running the fire to form a bucket bri-An alarm was telephoned to

lives on Oak avenue, Herod, with her porents, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley, and her two brothen and three sisters, all younger than

A few minutes after the fire was dis- the street. wered, Florence and Mrs. Tomlin were awakened by a pounding on the rout door. Looking from an upper window, Mrs. Tomlin saw the blazing hed and bungalow and then noted Paris

wid, 'and we both stood at the fire. Then I went downstairs and ran

Had Been Attentive

"Paris had been attentive to Flortogether through the peach orchard.
I followed, although I did not exany harm would come to the girl. lost sight of them as they ran among he trees. Then I heard two shots, then two more. Others were around when I reached the spot where they had fallen." more. Others were around them

eved be died instantly, as a bullet had torn through his heart. Three weeks ago Paris invited the preliminary to others. bad to att

tiate himself with the girl.

Girl's Father Fights Fire

Miss Bradley's father, a farmer, was lajured girl and her suicide suitor. Paris, mother of the youth, also gone to the fire, but did not learn the tragedy until later.

Firemen from Maple Shade, stirring out among the rules of the shed, and a big drum of kerosene discovery led to the belief that the he was of incendiary origin, as one of Barrett's sons had seen some one

Plorence worked in an overall factory

### \$80 AWARD AGAIN APPEALED

Shipping Board Takes Compensation

Decision to U. S. Supreme Court The United States Shipping Board has appealed to the United States Su-Court after having been beaten the courts of Pennsylvania to payment of \$80 damages to one employes, John E. Sullivan, of The crux of the case is, according to

orkmen's Control of asylvania: "Is the defendant, Board of orporation irrespective of ownership or having come into this jurisdiction ennsylvania, as an employer of in Pennsylvania employing cit-of this State, liable to its em-a under the Compensation Act?" te State board awarded \$80 to Sul-



MISS MARIE CUNEO 2310 South Warnock street, who says she was attacked by Charles N. Wolcott, Front street factory manager. The photograph shows her in fancy dress costume

Chas. N. Wolcott, Manager of Basket Making Plant, Accused of Assault and Battery

### DEFENDANT MAKES DENIAL

Charles N. Wolcott, manager of a basket making concern at 155 North Front street, was held in \$500 bail for court yesterday on an assault and battery charge made by Marie Cuneo, sixteen years old, 2310 South Warnock street. Wolcott says the charge is "a frame-up."

At a hearing before Magistrate Grelis at 1881 Arch street, Miss Cuneo testi-Police of Maple Shade have a theory that Paris, madly in love with the girl, who did not return his affection, deliberately fired a shed in the rear of the tangalow of Mrs. Margaret Barrett, of Coles road, Herwood, to lure Florence from the neighbor's home and to give describe atting for the crime.

Shoulder Injured

It was stated that ligaments of the thy before 2 o'clock Daniel Mc-thy before 2 o'clock Daniel Mc-a son of Mrs. Barrett by a has been unable to work since. Her arm was in a sling at the hearing. The

er mother, Mrs. Gussie Cuneo. Wolcott denied the girl's assertions. He said several girls employed in a factory near the one he manages comyouths employed by the basket concern. The girls said the young men called to them as they were passing the place. Wolcott said he talked to Miss Cuneo and that he told her he understood one of the youths was "her affinity."

I mentioned the man's name she said she didn't know him," Wolcott contread three sisters, all younger than herself. She went to Mrs. Tomlin's bouse last night because Mr. Tomlin good word for her anyhow and she said 'all right,' putting out her hand at the same the children, wanted some one else with her overnight.

### Girl Fell in Street

"As she ran she tripped and fell. saw a man pick her up, but she did not appear to be hurt. I was about fortyfeet away at the time. Later the girl's mother came and wanted me to 'settle' for \$25. "As I was not responsible for what-

ever injury the girl suffered I refused to 'settle.' Then the girl called and to the edge of the orchard. I came to settle. Then the girl called and the to the house, and Florence ran wanted me to settle for \$25. When I down, going to the road, where Paris refused again I was threatened with much of Fairmount Park as demands legal proceedings."

Wolcott is forty-five years old, is married and lives at 1743 West Moya-Paris had been attentive to Flor-mensing avenue. Counsel for Miss Ob-mose for a long time, but she didn't Cuneo says he will bring a civil suit have

### BOY AUTO THIEF BAND

Five Arrested and May Face Long List of Charges

Although only two charges were made

pand to attend her grandmother's old. Third street and Lehigh avenue.

The former sailor sulked after and Joseph Miller, same age, Sixth trefusal, but later tried to ingrastreet and Indiana avenue, alleged to himself with the girl the sail tried to ingrastreet and Indiana avenue, alleged leaders of the gang, were sent to Central Police Court to answer additional charges.

th the crowd trying to check the Hallman, Reese street and Indiana ave-The other boys arraigned were Robert nue; George March, Reese and Butler streets, and Thomas Mitchell, Third street and Lehigh avenue.

Mitchell, according to the police, disposed of the loot stolen by the boys. The others are charged with rob the home of Mrs. Fred Kohler.

Carrigan and Miller were separately

### ODD VOYAGE ENDS IN JAIL

Man Arrested After All-Night Sea Trip on Plank

Long Beach, N. Y., July 7.—(By A. P.)—Nicholas Zuchlog, of Doylestown, Pa., who ended an all-night sea trip abourd a crude plank by floating into the shore here yesterday, was sentenced to thirty days in jail today for dis-orderly conduct. Police said he adorderly conduct. Police said he ad-mitted jumping into the water with the intention of making a trip to eternity came the sulcidal idea when the plank

Zuchlog spent last night in jail, took a long sleep and appeared entirely nor-mal today, his keepers declared.

Zuchlog is known there.

tan, a chauffeur, because his hand and the were destroyed and fifty persons rendered however have to a collision. Attor-

# HAMPERING PLANS, **DECLARES DARROW**

Mayor Disclaims Responsibility Torrid Debate on Location Expected in Committee Tuesday

### TRANSPORTATION SEEN AS PARAMOUNT FACTOR

By GEORGE NOX McCAIN Tuesday next the Executive Comnittee of the Sesqui-Centennial Comnittee of One Hundred will meet to

It is more than probable that the ebate may become as torrid as prevaent atmospheric conditions.

The hot weather has been holding up the Sesqui-Centennial beyond a doubt. It is difficult to get committees together. Many members are out of town ome are abroad

Mayor Moore, naturally, disclaim responsibility for the delay. With hands extended palms upward he inquired this

morning:

"Well, what more can I do than I am doing? I'm here. Where are the other members of the committee?" The question of a site for the big exposition is paramount. Something defi-

nite must be decided upon before th subject is taken up at Washington. "We must know where we stand be fore we ask favors of Congress. There must be a definite plan. Our representatives must be prepared to answer every question about the Exposition. The details must be worked up. A generalized plan will not be accept-

So spoke Congressman Darrow, talk ing of the big enterprise.

Present Bill to Be Shelved Taking time by the forelock, he has already presented a tentative bill. It

is to be shelved, however, in favor of better or more perfect one. When the last word is spoken on the question of the proper site the indisputable fact will remain that it is a question of railroad and trolley ransportation

No committee or committees can ge away from that fact.
Samuel Rea, W. W. Atterbury and Agnew T. Dice will have a powerful lot

to say on the subject. Their judgments will fuse with the final decision of the Committee on Site as to just where the world's great-est exposition will rear its towers, minarets, domes and walls and stretch its network of waterways and lakes. Transportation is the keystone of the

It will be a calamity unthinkable to erect a dream city-such as some of these people vision-if it is partly in-accessible or inconveniently located for the millions who will view the spectacle. Thus far there have been six sites

are very seriously suggested. Each of no money, only brains, and Mr. Kaber as reported. boosters and advocates. The Fairmount Park project, more familiarly known as the Paul Cret idea.

looms largest because of its presentation in elaborate detail. Permanent and artistic reconstruction of both banks of the Schuylkill, from the Market Street Bridge to Fairmount dam, is one of its features. The background to this is an arrangement superb structures extending the length of the Parkway and occupying as

Objections as to Expense

Objections on the score of expense ave loomed up. Millions, it is asserted, will be required to secure the needed ground alone. The industrial and commercial element can not be eliminated from the river banks alone, ROUNDED UP, POLICE SAY except at cost of millions.
A general mussing up of Fairmount

for years is another protest that is whispered. The League Island site is the Joseph Farmers picked up the wounded girl and the former sailor and placed them members of a gang of house and automobile thieves, were arraigned before ments and quays, docks for ocean stamers, with miles of vast buildings to water's edge and reflecting

fringing the water's edge and reflecting her way in school, the police say that these are merely their graceful proportions in the mirror of the waters. The great curve in the Delaware

River would be climinated. The re-clamation of the extreme lower end of to get rid of him within the next six the city would be completed. portation facilities would be perfect not only by railroad, but by ocean and constwise craft. League Island is objectionable to some because of its distance from the

heart of the city.
No permanent buildings could be constructed. It would be a city of six menths to vanish before the wrecking Hog Island, the Fortieth Ward site.

the great stretch of descried terrain in the southeastern part of the city. "back of the beyond," has its fervid advocates. The city owns a thousand acres or nore in that section, and the question of economy is assigned in favor of the site. It would mean, too, the filling in of a territory that would be open to the erection of thousands of nes after the dream city of yester-

day had vanished into the past, The Venetian idea here again forge-Continued on Page Four, Column One RICH WIFE SEIZES OWN

Mrs. Charlotte Mayo Speeds From

DAUGHTER AND FLEES

New York in Limousine New York, July 7.—While detectives pleted before the searched vainly through New York and it was learned. New Jersey yesterday, beautiful Mrs. Charlotte Catherine Mayo, twenty-one. was speeding westward in a limousine from New Brunswick, N. J. With her The Postmaster at Doylestown said was her two-year-old daughter, whom today that no such person as Nicholas she took Tuesday afternoon from the apartment of her husband, Roy Alfred Mayo, a broker. Mayo is said to be cousin of the famous Mayo brothers, due to her desire to get the child outside jurisdiction of New York courts, she said. Mrs. Mayo is wealthy in her mended to the Senate by the Judiciary

### TIR Accuses Business Man DELAY ON FAIR SITE N. J. Auto-Driving Tests Put Women on Mettle

Camden Crowds Watch Flivvers and Big Cars Do Fancy Stunts While Owners Seek Licenses to Go Over Jersey Roads

West street, Camden, on ordinary days is just a regular street.

Its cobbles are inoffensive stones with sleepy bits of grass straggling through. The fences that border it are just fences; the curbs are increased little.

Folks meander light-heartedly across West street, Camden, on regular days. The scene shifts to Tuesdays, three of them, the first, the third and the West street is no longer fameless. It

bristles with onlookers, with official men with whistles and long arms which they wave. It boasts a long solemn line of automobiles that gravely advance one by one. West street is no longer a platitude. It is charged with at the drama of Custer's last stand and the sword of Damocles rolled into one. Gentle women and sub-debs who never did a day's harm to any one in their lives are taking the road test to find out whether they can get a license to run an automobile in New Jersey.

Women Are Watched

It may not be exactly fair to say "women are taking the test." Men take it, too-200 of them to every twenty of their fair sisters—but they might as well not come, so far as the audience on the sidewalks at Fifth and Mickel streets near West is concerned Let a gentleman driver get as nervous as he pleases—and Charles D. Pedigree, in charge of the road tests, says more

half way, right in front of a high wooden fence, is the psychological moment for turning. For just one moment the fair driver hesitates. Then one turn of the wheels to the left. This necessitates a swing around to the right to get room enough to finish the turn to the left. Genevieve hesitates—then a light darts into her eyes Just at that moment, back on Mickel "SPIRITS BARRED"

IN KABER TRIAL IS WEGLEIN'S PLAN

LEASE UP TODAY

One Dollar gas, with 871/2 cents to

the United Gas Improvement Co. and

He will make such a suggestion in

Prior to announcing that he would make a proposition to Council for gas

he had been misunderstood regarding the rice in a previous statement.

City Now Receives 25 Cents on S Under the present sharing plan be Now Receives 25 Cents on \$1

tween the company and the city, in

which the latter receives 25 cents out of every dellar, Mr. Weglein

aid that the city will receive \$4.000,

ein, he said the deficit could be made up

from the surplus in the City Treasury

Committee on Transportation and Pub-

Unless all signs are misleading, the

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ACCUSED AVIATOR HEARD

Chamberlain Tells Story of His Ali

Battle in 1918

Washington, July 7.—(By A. P.)— Captain Edmund G. Chamberlain, for-mer marine corps aviator, began today

presentation of his case to the Senate mmittee investigating his court-mar-

tial and dismissal from service as a re-

sult of his story of participation in a thrilling air battle on the western front

to the committee behind closed doors

Chairman Ball remaining firm in his

PLAN PLANE STATION HERE

the Country

This city will be an important link in

a chain of airplane stations which will

form a country-wide airway system, ac-

cording to reports in aviation circles.

the Army Air Service were inspecting large plots of ground near the city with

air station. It is proposed to have sev-

eral hangars, a waiting room for pas-

sentials for military and commercial

sengers, a repair shop and all other es-

Air Ride Thrills Restore

Speech of Young Farmer

Indian Head, Sask., July 7 .- (By

A. P.)-A case parallel to that of

the American soldier who regained

his speech during an airplane flight

More than a year ago Wilfred

Verner, a young farmer, was kicked

in the head by a horse, and he had

been unable to speak until the other

day at a picnic he took an airplane

As a result of sharp loops and

dives he was ill when he landed, but

was able to talk.

has been brought to light here

view to finding a suitable place for an

Captain Chamberlain told his story

At a meeting yesterday

terms named, Mr. Weglein said

the machine are cheering and encourag-

ing friends who can stay with Genevier

Witness All Set to Communi- Suggestion to Council Is 871/2 Cents to U. G. I. and 121/2 cate With Other World When Cents to Municipality Court Intervenes

meeting this afternoon.

steering wheel.

### DEATH THREATS REPEATED NEW

By the Associated Press Cleveland, July 7 .- Mysteries of the pirit world were discussed today in the 121/2 cents to the city is proposed by rial of Mrs. Eva Catherine Kaber, Richard Weglein, president of Council. charged with the murder of her husband, Daniel F. Kaber.

Mrs. Mary J. Wade, who claims to be a medium capable of communicating with spirits, told on the witness stand of visits by Mrs. Kaber to her home to obtain advice. "I want you to try to get rid of Dan

Kaber for me." Mrs. Wade said Mrs. Kaber told her on the last visit. Wanted to Get Rid of Kaber

"How?" Mrs. Wade said she asked Mrs. Kaber. "I want you to kill him-any to get rid of him. The man I love has he had not advocated a price of \$1.121/2

them will have its insistent band of has \$50,000 life insurance," Mrs. Kaber was alleged to have replied.

Mrs. Wade previously had described a visit by Mrs. Kaber to her home when she said Mrs. Kaber told her she had met a professor of an eastern college 000 this year. Although the city will where her daughter, Marian McArdle, only receive approximately \$2,000,000 only receive approximately \$2,000,000 under the plan advocated by Mr. Wegwas in school and that she loved him. On cross-examination by Attorney William J. Corrigan, Mrs. Wade said to communicate with spirits ever since her birth. with the spirit world now?" Corrigan

asked. "Go ahead."

Judge Blocks Seance

The jury and spectators were all set or a seance, but the court sustained an objection interposed by County Pros-ecutor Edward C. Stanton. Mrs. Wade then told briefly how she mmunicated with spirits On one visit, Mrs. Wade said, Mrs.

Kaber was accompanied by her spirit friends.

Mr. Corrigan asked if they were "good spirits," She said they were.

Mrs. Wade said Mrs. Kaber came to revet- her the first time to get her to intercede ocean with her first husband, Mr. McArdle, to send money to Marian McArdie to pay

Mrs. Bertha Miethke, grandmother of Patricia, the little girl adopted by Mrs. Kaber, testified the latter had told her months in some manner or other.

### CALLS WOMAN OF 80 THIEF

Blacksmith Has Fellow Lodger Held In \$300 Ball A woman of eighty years old was arrested by the police yesterday upon the statement of an aged man that she had robbed him

The prisoner gave her name as Mrs. Jennie McCormick, a roomer at 473 North Marshall street. Francis Craw-ley, a blacksmith, who has a room in the same Marshall street house, is the

Magistrate Mecleary held the woman DELAY IN "L" CAR DELIVERY

Will Not Be Completed Before August 1, Announcement Says Delivery of the first steel car for the Frankford elevated line scheduled for July 1 will be delayed for at least a sentials month, it is announced by officials of purposes. the J. G. Brill Co., Sixty-second street and Woodland avenue. The car is still a steel skeleton in the car shops. The fifty cars originally planned for delivery September 30 will not be epleted before the latter part of the year.

### **DELAY BEER PERMITS**

Action to L'egalize Medicinal Manu facture Held Up

Washington, July 7 .- (By A. P.) Action on permits to manufacture me-dicinal beer will be referred for at least a week or two, Secretary Mellon said The House till to prohibit the sale of

for the Shipping Board contended facturing community in Collier Townhave been appealed to because were no casualties. The loss was eslipping Board is a Federal agency. timated at \$20,000.

# DEMOCRATS AVER

Few, Says Minority Re-

### place and takes her plunge. Consider the fortunes of one we shall call Genevieve. With an ostrich plume on her picture hat, Genevieve has ridden in from the shank of Gloucester to try her skill. With her in the machine are chemical and arcourage. SEE PEOPLE PLUNDERED: CHARGE SECRET PLOT

By the Associated Press almost to the last. A hard cruel rule of the Department of Motor Vehicles of New Jersey makes it incumbent that she who is about to go up West street The friends slowly take leave and Genevieve's time has come. In goes the clutch and down the street goes

Genevieve. There is grim purpose written in the face under the hat with the ostrich plume, there is a grimmer hatched in secrecy," the report says. purpose written in her grip of the adding :

West street is thirty feet wide, About courages and facilitates the usurpa

The report declares the tariff was no issue in the last campaign, and that this is not the time to write a tariff They assert that the problems which "confront our people, cripple our industry, stifle our commerce and per-plex an amiable administration have

bill from them and from the House membership generally and for permit-ting only a week for its study, the Democratic members declare there has insufficient time to draft a sub-

States," calling attention that the for-eign trade of the United States fell from \$1.188,255,449 last July to \$527,373,-Dealing with the plan for American valuation of imports the report says:

statement to Council at its regular Two other plans will also be considered by Council. One is an ordinance of Councilman Hall, providing temporary relief for the U. G. I., and temporary relief for the U. G. I., and the other is a resolution of Councilman Roper, directing the Gas Commission to consult with the City Solicitor and the company with a view to negotiating

porter to continue in business. porter to continue in business, and the result of this provision will be the de-

### REFUSE PAY CUT REQUEST

New York Builders Decline to Ac cept Dollar a Day Reduction New York, July 7 .- (By A. P.)-

One hundred thousand workers in the building trades here have been asked to compensate former service men as soon accept a voluntary reduction of \$1 a as tariff and tax legislation was comit became known here today. Journeymen now receive \$9 a day and Patrick Growley, president of the Building Trades Council, declared the employes were unalterably opposed to granting the request of the employers

end of the year, when the present agreement expires.

### ignore the recommendations of the Gas Commission for a new lease, the pleas DENY SHIP POST IS FILLED of the company and the earnest advice of Milo T. Malthie, chairman of the

ommission, who yesterday informed New York, July 7.—(By A. P.)— found guilty of a miscomeanor Albert D. Lasker, chairman of the called a strike in violation of United States Shipping Board, today of Industrial Relations Law.

lenied a report from ations of the board and been accepted day. It was announced that Howat a by A. J. Frey, of San Francisco. other speakers 'will have something Mr. Lasker said no one had been say of interest to the people about

port to House

"First among the subtle covert infamies that mask their way through this

"In the face of the uncertainty which bi'l necessarily compels as to du-it will be impossible for any im-

at Columbus, Kan, they recently were found guilty of a miscomeanor in having the called a strike in violation of the Cour

### HARDING IN BONUS Contented

EDITH HALLOR

that eleven years of stage life has

fitted her to conduct her own life. Her mother has haled the actress

into court, charging that the eight-een-year-old girl does not have the

proper associates in Greenwich VII-lage, New York. Miss Hallor denies

this charge

HAPHAZARD SLACKER LIST

Cites Two Phila, Cases Where Real

Facts Would Have Shown Error

Washington, July 7 .- Protest against

slacker lists until a more careful in-

vestigation is made of their contents

Vare, of Philadelphia, in an open letter

Mr. Vare pointed out that errors ap-

pearing in the lists have placed vet-

crans and their families "in the posi-

ascertain the actual facts," Mr. Vare

This young man has been cited by your

card inquiry would have brought to the department the proper facts.

Nelson Anthony Roberts, cited as a

British aviator, cited twice for valor.

An inquiry at the home of Mr. Roberts

would have brought forth the actual

INSISTS ON BONUS BILL

for Action on Measure

opposing enactment of a bonus bill. Chairman Fordney, of the House Ways

and Means Committee, said he intended

to press for action on his measure to

tariff and tax legislation was com-

"I have no doubt," Mr. Fordney as-

put through at this session of Con-

MINERS RALLY TO HOWAT

Quit Work in Kansas District Until

He Is Sentenced

Pittsburg, Kan., July 7.—(By A. P.

There will be no work in the mines of District 14 until the fate of Alexander

Dorchy are to be sentenced Friday by Judge Frank W. Boss, in whose court

A circular was issued today calling

a demonstration at Col-

"that some such legislation will

Washington, July 7.—(By A. P.)— espite Secretary Mellon's statement

'Another case was that of William

have in mind two cases which

tion of defending records made

effort on the part of the departm

to Secretary Weeks.

former service men

enid.

VARE PROTESTS AGAINST

pretty New York actress, insists

CONGRESS WASTE President Needs Support of Country in Effort to Stem Tide of Extravagance

### POLITICIANS MAKING BID FOR SOLDIER VOTE

By CLINTON W. GILBERT Staff Correspondent Evening Public Ledger Washington, July 7. - Secretary Mel. on's letter against the Bonus Bill is the first move of the Harding Administration to save itself from the extravagance and wastefulness of Con-The letter was approved by the his authority as party leader and to bring some sense of responsibility to his

party associates on the hill. Preceding the letter was a conference etween the President and Senator between the President and Senator Lodge and Representative Mondell, Relender of the lower house at which the President urged upon the two leaders the delay if not the defeat of the Bonus Pill and a strict regard in all legislation for the financial dif-ficulties in which the Government finds

It was agreed that the Secretary of member of Congress setting forth the reasons why economy was necessary and why the Bonus Bill should not be Senator Frelinghuysen, as a se friend of Mr. Harding, was chosen as the person to whom to address the inquiry by Mr. Mellon. The letter foreshadows a veto if the

bonus legislation should pass both houses. It is doubtful if the letter houses. alone will check Congress in its desire to appeal for the soldier vote. Both Representatives and Senators understand fully the financial reasons ury as to why it is dangerous to the ountry to have the Bonus Bill passed

The objections to the bill are familiar

talk in the cloakrooms and have been could have been averted by the slightest for many months. Secretary Houston set forth the same arguments against bill that his successor now terates. There are few sincere friends Michael, Jr., son of Judge Charles B. McMichael, of Philadelphia, who was an officer in the army before his death. The support of the measure in the resent financial condition of the country, springs either from cowardice on the part of the members or an "after lepartment lists as a slacker. A postal us the deluge" feeling among the legislators who see no way of stopping exravagance or preventing an enormous budget for next year, and who say, with a certain fatalism, that the bonus is sure to go through in the end. Do

Need Support of Country The letter will only succeed if there is a prompt and vigorous response from the country, especially from the business interests, which will demonstrate to members of the lower house that Fordney Says He Intends to Press they are in greater danger of defeat if they pass the Bonus Bill than if they reject it. If any such reaction develops against this enormous approprintion as was shown against the large army and navy bills, the lower house will tie the bill up in committee and the financial danger which it involves

will be at least postponed.

Expect Senate to Pass Bill The fate of the bill for this session sts in the House. There is little that the Senate means to pass it and that Mellon's letter has come too late to change many Senetors' votes The House, however, is up for reclection in 1922. It has proved more sensitive to the public demand for economy than has the Senate. On the other hand, in the last session it passed late for acceptance by the Senate. House must once more pass bonus leg-Howat, president, and August Dorchy, vice president of the union, is determined, it was announced today at mine shows sufficient interest in economy, workers' hendquarters. Howat and the House may jockey with the bill in

### HUSBAND NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR WIFE'S EXTRAVAGANCE

Need Not Pay Unnecessary Ex-

penses, Court Holds New York, July 7 .- Justice Norman Dike in the Supreme Court in Long Island City yesterday handed down a consien in which he held that F. Linde lyon, of Ossining, member of a wellknown Flushing family, was not responsible for debts fitted in through the extravagance of his wife. Mrs. Elizabeth horities to be in jail in California for of rauding a hotel. The decision was a suit brought by Ryon to recover room the John Wanamaker Co. two ortgages of \$15,000 which he had edged for payment of a debt of \$16. 2.2.81 contracted by his wife. Justice turned to him.
The Justice's decision contained a

gerous excoriation of Mrs. Ryon. sed nowndays. Ryon married his wife few days after meeting her in a mo-"The common law doctrine of the

ys Justice Dike's decision, "exists here the wife purchases necessities for household, but ceases where she akes such purchases upon her own ex-usive credit. The evidence here shows hat Ryon furnished abundantly to his cife all that could be expected.

### SANITY CASE JURY DIVIDES

Mother's Attempt to Prove Daughter New York, July 7 .- (By A. P.)-

A Shoriff's jury disagreed yesterday in letermining the sanity of Miss Anna Wright in an action brought by her mother, the Countess Leta Del Sera, of Italy The Countess sought to prove her

The mother claimed that the yours woman had been mentally incompetent

# TARIFF MEASURE BETRAYS HUMANITY

Bill Is Conspiracy to Benefit

Washington, July 7. - Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee, in a minority report filed today in the House, denounced the Administration Tariff Bill as a "conspiracy to benefit a few favorites at the expense of

"Like every conspiracy, it has been

"We record our solemn judgment that this measure is a plan to plunder the press the people of every country for the benefit of a few men who have succeeded in usurping for all practical purposes the taxing power of this Government, using it primarity to enrich themselves, and, secondarily, to finance the political party which tolerates, en-

othing to do with the tariff. Criticize Republicans Criticising the Republican majority was made today by Representative of the committee for withholding the Vare, of Philadelphia, in an open letter

stitute. American foreign trade, the report says:
"We need no tariff to cut off the imports and the exports of the United

bill is the proposal to change the base for ad valorem duties from the actual paid for them when purchased by the importer to a speculative, inreached by an appraiser hidden in the

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G. Norman, chairman of the Board Governors of the Building Trades Hall ordinance and Roper resolution were reported out by the committee. Employers' Association, asserted that if the employes did not consent to the \$1 Hall ordinance, amended somewhat, will pass and the Roper resolution will fall. That means the Council will grant reduction now, they would be forced to accept a reduction of \$2 or \$3 at the the United Gas Improvement Co. some measure of temporary relief, but will

Frey Not Made Director of Operations, Says Lasker

GENERAL DU PONT NAMED SENATOR DOVER, DEL., July 7 .- General T. Coleman du Pont, Delaware member of the Republican National Committee, was named by Governor Denney today to succeed United States Senator Josiah O. Wolcott, Democrat, who resigned his seat last Saturday to become Chancellor of the Delaware courts.

### CAN FIND NO TRACE OF KIDNAPPED EARL

BELFAST, July 7 .- Although numbers of the police and military are scouring the country in search of the Earl of Bandon, who was kidnapped at Bantry, County Cork, June 21, when his residence, Castle Bernard, was burned, no trace has so far been found of him. It is believed here that the place of his deention is changed daily, and that he is being held as a hostage for the safety of some condemned republican.

### CIVIL SERVICE BODY TO ACT Will Consider Exemption From Thank Him and Aldes for Safe and

Tests of Two City Employes The Civil Service Commission an-

nounced today that it will hold a hear-ing Monday, July 18, at 11 o'clock, in empting the positions of assistant purthe purchasing agent from civil service examination.

The position of assistant perchasing

clerkship pays \$1440. .

Sane Fourth Here

Appreciation of the Civic Club for

WOMEN PRAISE MAYOR

the "safe and sane" Fourth of July maintained in Philadelphia by the prescut Administration was expressed in a chasing agent and confidential clerk to letter to Mayor Moore today by Mrs. Imogen B. Oakley, chairman of the "Safe and Sane Fourth" Committee of

agent pays \$4400, and the confidential The Civic Club organization joined in the "safe and sane" Fourth movement ten years ago. The committee which was in charge will now dishand.

woman lad been mentally incompetent for several years.

The Countries formerly was the wides of Hoen Wright, of New York, who let a large fortune.

daughter insane and incompetent to manage her property, valued at \$215,-000, from which, she testified, is derived an annual income of \$34,000.

## prowling about the rear of their home charged with stealing an automatical ast night when they returned from the longing to A. R. Broom, of Oak Lane. at Canden. Paris helped his father, a farmer. The farm is at Coles and Church roads, Herwood.